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Minutes for the Board Meeting January 30, 2012 100 North Union Street, Suite 300 Montgomery, Alabama 36104

Ms. Linden called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m. and presided over the meeting. The members present were: Evonne Bennett, Eric Williams, Tracy Smith, Kathy Linden, Clifford Pope and Wendy Merriweather. Floyd McDonald was absent due to illness. The office staff members present were Cathy Taylor and Carol Reynolds. Bob McKee, Executive Director, was present. There were no visitors present.

Mr. Williams gave the invocation. Roll call was taken.

Mr. Pope made a motion to accept the minutes from the November 7, 2011 meeting as presented. Ms. Merriweather seconded. All ayes, the motion carried.

Mr. McKee distributed a copy of the proposed barber and cosmetology bill to each Board Member. He is hoping to have a public hearing soon to find out what opposition there is to this bill.

Mr. McKee stated that he had met with several people from the Community College System concerning the wording of our Law and Rules. He submitted this change for *Chapter 250-X-5-.06(2)*: "Programs reporting by clock hours must keep daily, monthly and cumulative records of training by students, and furnish the Board an official college transcript within thirty (30) days after students finish program or leave school." Mr. Pope made a motion to adopt this wording. Ms. Smith seconded. All ayes, the motion carried.

There was a discussion concerning an association for cosmetologists.

The budget and financial report were discussed. Office procedures were discussed. Ms. Merriweather stated that she and the other Board Members ask questions because they want to be informed when someone calls them. Mr. McKee stated that although the office is working very hard to shorten the turnaround for renewals, we are not yet where we want to be with this.

The Board adjourned a	t 11:31 a.m.		
Eric Williams, Secretary	date	Kathy Linden, President	date

Carol A. Reynolds Recording Secretary

date